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St. James's, January 9.

THE following Addreſs of the Gentlemen, Clergy, Freemen, Freeholders, Merchants, Traders, Manufacturers, and other Citizens of Dublin, having been tranſmitted to the Right Honourable Lord Viſcount Weymouth, One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been preſented to His Majeſty: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Gentlemen, Clergy, Freemen, Freeholders, Merchants, Traders, Manufacturers, and other Citizens of Dublin.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE, the Gentlemen, Clergy, Freemen, Freeholders, Merchants, Traders, Manufacturers, and other Citizens of Dublin, the Metropolis of your Majeſty's Kingdom of Ireland, feeling ourſelves at this Time particularly called upon, embrace with Pleaſure the Opportunity of teſtifying to your Majeſty our ſteadfaſt Loyalty, and zealous Attachment to your Sacred Perſon, Crown, and Dignity; for the Preſervation and Honour of which, we are and ever ſhall be ready to devote our Lives and Fortunes; truly ſenſible of the Happineſs we enjoy under your Majeſty's mild and auſpicious Government.

We hear, with equal Sorrow and Aſtoniſhment, that many of your miſguided Subjects in America have withdrawn themſelves from their Allegiance to your Majeſty. We lament that, influenced by the Counſels of wicked and deſigning Men, they have even dared to adopt a Syſtem tending to render themſelves independent of the Parent Country; yet, deeply affected by the Troubles ſubſiſting in the Colonies, we have the fulleſt Reliance on your Majeſty's Wiſdom and Juſtice, that you will purſue with Firmneſs ſuch Meaſures as may tend effectually to reſtore the violated Rights of the Britiſh Empire.

We feel ourſelves bound, at ſo important and critical a Conjuncture, moſt humbly and zealouſly to lay our Hearts at the Foot of the Throne, and to expreſs our warmeſt Gratitude for your Majeſty's paternal Goodneſs to this your Kingdom of Ireland, ſo recently and ſo amply ſhewn by ſeveral Acts of the Britiſh Parliament for the Encouragement of our Commerce, Manufactures, and Agriculture: And our Duty alſo leads us to acknowledge the grateful Senſe we entertain of your Majeſty's peculiar Indulgence, in ſending to preſide over us ſo excellent a Chief Governor; to whoſe faithful Repreſentation of our Loyalty and Attachment we attribute theſe important Advantages, which have flowed to us from your Royal Protection and Favour.

Alarmed with Apprehenſions from what we have heard, and grateful for the Bleſſings we feel and enjoy, we cannot avoid fervently to offer our Prayers to the Almighty, for the Preſervation of your Majeſty's Royal Perſon and Family; that your Reign over us may be long and happy, and that you may ever triumph over the Enemies of our glorious Conſtitution.

Thomas Emerſon, *Lord Mayor*

Aldermen,

Philip Crampton
Patrick Hamilton
E. Sankey
Francis Fetherſton
Richard French
Patrick Boyd
Gorges Howard
William Ranſford
Henry Gore Sankey
Peter Bayly
John Henderſon
William Delamain
Richard Eaton
J. Sheppey Green
Moſes Moore
Fairfax Wallis
P. M'Keogh, *M.D.*
James Gladwell
William Green
Robert Clark, *D.D.*
Dean of Tuam
George Nixon
Iſaac Hen. Packer
James Bailie
Edward Pannill
John Evans
John Shene
Timothy Dyton
T. Simcockes, *A.M.*
John Wetherall
J. Wetherall, *jun.*
William Wetherall
John Chriſtian
William Burton
Louis Chambaud
Edward Brereton
Benj. Houghton
Thomas Trulock, *late High Sheriff*
Edward Beatty
William Hallhead
Hugh Colgan
Thomas Meyler
John M'Dermott
John Bookes
John Trail
James M'Donald
Richard Brangan
Thomas Browne
William Evans
Archibald Bell
Thomas Armitage
Thomas Bennett
Richard Weſtenra
Thomas Wilſon
Matthew Johnſton
Thomas Higgins
Joſeph Sirr
Hugh Cane
John Parrickſon
Will. Luſhington
Thomas Oldham
John Chaigneau
J. P. Chaigneau
William Chaigneau
Robert Acheſon
Thomas Keightley
Edward Cheſhm
John Kirkhoffee
A. Lionel Jenkins
John Bayly
Richard Bayly
Robert Gray
George Cuningham
John Read, *A.B.*
Henry Ware, *D.D.*
John Kelly
William Sterne
James Craig
Robert Owen
T. T. Paulkner
William Partridge
John Woodhouſe
Richard Brown
W. Gibſon
Thomas Duplex
Humphry Minchin
Hugh Parker
Jonathan Waller
James Jackſon
James Bryan
William Bourke
Thomas Blagrave
Thomas Hopſon
Nicholas Engliſh
James Houſton
Robert Sandys
George Hughes
Daniel Cheneve
William Stokes
Thomas Ivory
Edward White
John Chambers
Robert King
Richard Smith
Robert Flemyng
David Robiſon
Henry Wheeler
Thomas Hutton
Thomas Bennis
P. Halpin
John Murray
John Carey
William Gordon
Alex. Stevenſon
John Marks
Thomas Brown
Oliver Wheeler
William Leſlie
George L'Eſtrange
Thomas Thornton
William Morton
John Logan
Ralph Ward
Matthews Reade
William Aſhford
Charles Robiſon
John Gaſp. Battier
Charles Vallancey
William Turney
Daniel M'Lean
Michael Wills
Thomas Hill
John Wheeler
William Sall
George Murphy
William Grant
James Marks
William Smith
John Nowland
Hugh O'Hara
Charles Pigott
Charles Barry
James Marquis
John Debenham
Oliver Richards
Edward Dalton
John Hollins
Henry Smith
Thomas Pidgeon
John Reid
John Johnſton
John Pratt
Thomas Croker
James Elliott
James Martin
R. Moore, *Freeman*
Thomas Wilkinſon
George Warren
Thomas Jarrat
John Frankling
William Lyons
John Langſon
Joſeph M'Callagh
John Gordon
William Henderſon
William Byrne
James Fleming
Richard Lewis
Matthew Kinder
John Ogle
Rotheram Bell
Robert Moore, *Freeholder*
Charles Wright
Thomas Keating
John Leadbetter
Peter Larkin
Richard Harwood
John Gill
Joſeph Keen
Mich. Hutchinſon
George Carter
William Read
John Mooley
John Philips
Lewis Alley
Thomas Kinder
William Haſkey
Philip Sargent
George Wilkins
Robert Robinſon
William Moore
Thomas Forbes
P. Bayly
Thomas Lee
John Prendergaſt
Zach. Jemiſſon
Walter Daviſon
Anneſley Stockdale
Simon Sinclare
William Nixon
Robert Locke
Thomas Bayly
J. Barlow
Dennis Ryan
Francis Hughes
D. Cook
Thomas Conway
Edward Teniſon
William Jordan
Stewart Langan
James Browne
William Stewart
John Dennis
Tobias Connor
Francis Gibbon
James O'Brien
William Sherlock
John Hill
Thomas Crawford
Thomas Boyle
Com. Brody
Williams Kennan
Thomas Kennan
George Gambell
Drury Jones
Thomas Scot
Chriſtoph. Welldon
Chriſt. Fitzgerald
James Thornton
John Mathias
John Sankey
William Holmes
Peter Martin
Richard Swift
J. Middleton
James Darcey
Abraham Jones
Chriſtopher Smyth
Peter Jackſon
James White
Arthur Thompſon
Samuel Ledwith
John Davis
James Farell
George Gholouer
Richard Robinſon
George Robinſon
George Forbes
Iſaack Pentland
John Johnſton
William Moore
Gilbert Roſe
William Hill
Robert Anderſon
Thomas Sankey
Patrick Dowdall
Arthur Nixon
George Mitchell
Thomas Madden
James Nesbitt
John Glover
Wilkinſon Brown
Michael Yeats
Oliver Tindall
Jacob Moorhead
William Beckford
Samuel King
Thomas M'Evoy
William How
Conſtantine Cullen
Patrick Fox
James Burrowes
Matthew Graham
Samuel Dwyer
John Mayo
William Roberts
John Young
Richard Smyth
Arthur Ringwood
George Harford
William Nobler
Chriſtopher Beaty
Patrick Kain
Thomas Cooke
John Bealey
James Wealth
Simon Nicols
James Grady
Thomas Dillon
George Murry
John Edmiſton
Thomas Browne
James Boyton
Oliver Wallis
Robert Johnſton
Francis Jones
William Beaſley
William Brady
Thomas Whitacre
William

William Whitacre
James Jenkins
Dav. Darby, *A. M.*
William Wardel
Oliver Cunliffe
Jenkin Soham
Xav. O'Callaghan
T. O'Donnell, *jun.*
Randle M'Donogh
James Trieft
Jacob Martin
Williams Oliver
William Thompſon
David Oliver
Thomas Donnell
Aron Millikin
Thomas Larkin
Theophilus Purcell
Ch. Walker
E. L'Eſtrange
James Bourns
Thomas Towers
Benjamin Kelly
Alexander Sinclare
Dennis Dunn
Dennis Dougherty
Thomas M'Credy
Terence Adams
Lawrence Adrien
John Allen
John Allen, *jun.*
William Ambroſe
Thomas Anderſon
Theo. Archdekin
William Armſtrong
John Arnold
Nich. Aſhburner
Nath. Aſhburner
Thomas Aſtruc
Thomas Aſton
Benjamin Bacon
Thomas Bacon
George Ballantin
Thomas Ball
Will. Barber, *jun.*
James Hornidge
Patrick Houſton
Thomas Ewart
Richard Fletcher
Edward Evans
Thomas Dupree
James Ennis
Thomas Fleming
David Wickens
James Taylor
Thomas Traynor
John Williams
Rich. Williamſon
George Toite
Theobald Butler
Edward Moore
James Matthews
Ignatius Cooper
William Campbell
Daniel O Brien
William Houſton
J. Wildridge
Samuel Oldham
Theophilus White
John Ogilvie
Samuel Ogilvie
William Jackſon
Thomas How
William Colles
Isaac Evans
James Dickenſon
John Thompſon
William Wade
Thomas Usher
Thomas Howe
Samuel Howard
Thomas O Brien
William Palmer
David Nuttall
George Human
Ignatius Gamble
William Overend
James Mooney
Timothy Molloy
Thomas Jenkins
John Forter
A. French
Philip Gaven
Thomas Godfrey
Edward Hill
Cornelius Darby
Lewis Moore
Thomas Obrey
Ez. Rhames
William Sibthrop

Francis Glannon
William Vauteau
Peter Jones
Tho. M'Cormick
Joſeph Baldwin
Theoph. Ormſby
Thomas Netterville
William Morris
Edward Trenor
Thomas Dennis
William Jurgens
John Robertſon
Luke White
James Kendall
Dennis Sullivan
Jerome Dorran
Thomas Ford
Benjamin Gaven
Thomas Bowen
William Sweeney
Robert Teirnan
William Hale
John Williams
Thomas Nugent
William Ruſſell
Thomas Savage
Benjamin Parker
William Corbally
Moorehouſe Maſley
Thomas Fenlan
James Dwyer
Thomas Smith
Thomas Smith, *jun.*
Peter Reynolds
James O Donnell
Miles L'Maiſtre
Thomas Lynch
William M'Cann
William Euſtace
George Owens
Edward Palmer
Thomas Hunter
James Henneſey
Hill Chetwood
John Maſon
James Stabler
Richard Woodward
Lang. Doyle
Thomas Mathews
R. Woodward, *jun.*
James Silcock
John Roland
William Gilbert
B. Smith
F. Gibbons
Richard Eaton
William Keeler
Arthur Winter
Whitfield Doyne
John Butler
Robert Hibbs
Thomas Butler
George Finey
Richard Goggin
John Wann
John Coningham
James Jackſon
John Clarke
Auguſtus Calvert, *LL. D.*
Watt Redfoord
John L. Hume
Joſeph Ridge
Henry Bunbury
Samuel Boyd
Edmund M'Can
John White
William Southwell
Ph. Boys
Kenneth Tolmie
John Mullen
Edward Conſtable
Benjamin Monro
William Barker
Arthur Baillie
Edward Murray
Joſeph Ward
Richard Cowell
William Pigot
William Gaynor
John Bourk
Humphry Bland
Pince Withington
Edward Manſergh
W. Leaver
Nicholas Kempſton
William Weeks
Hans Hamilton
Blundell Dalton
William Dalton

Henry Lane
Gabriel Beranger
Jonathan Fiſher
Irwin M'Mullen
Ferrgus M'Mullen, *Clerk*
Samuel Pollard
J. Abbott Husband
Henry Kempſton
James Saunders
Mark Weſt
Richardſon Rynd
Daniel Davies
James Carſan
Robert Anderſon
Neale Atollas
Richard Gaudry
Arthur Ormsby
John Brocas, *Dean of Killala*
John Bloomfield
Thomas Cosby
Anthony Fergusſon
John Walters
Thomas Armſtrong
John Stephens
William Anderſon
Edward Hawtey
Patrick Butler
Rowland Keough
Henry Hunt
John Wall
Henry Jenkins
Thomas Bowes
William Sinclare
Thomas Steele
William Young
Andrew Noble
James Maculla
Robert Barnes
George Cawthorn
Thomas Bennis
Jonathan Baldwin
James Maculla, *jun.*
Charles Cobbe
Broadway
Thomas Boys
Henry Pringle
Richard Robinſon
William Dance
Thomas Dance
Rowland Bell
Obadiah Bolton
Samuel Zobel
Richard Storen
Francis M'Farland
Richard Frizele
A. Cunningham
John Cowan
William Todd
Matthew Gamble
George Sparks
Peter Cook, *Clerk*
Thomas Cowell
Edward Phillips
John Clarke
John Clarke, *jun.*
Thomas Gough
George Willſon
John Nugent
Timothy Odlum
Thomas White
William Percivall
Richard Vaughan
George Bond
Richard Beatty
Henry Ranford
Theoph. Chambers
Stephen Grace
Edward Davis
Charles Chriſtian
Alexander Graves
John Jones
Walter Finch
Peter Kane
Alex. Goodwin
James Everard
John Henderſon
William Morris
Edward Nicholſon
Thomas M'Cann
John Thomas
William Pearſon
Joſeph Neary
Edward Murray
James Willſon
Thomas Jones
John Gibſon
John Cooke
John Dawſon

Thomas Clarke
Edward Brookes
William Harriſon
Robert Lord
Joſeph Strong
William Steevens
Joſhua Martin
Thomas Hanford
Francis Gordon
Alex. Goodwin
Cornelius Campbell
William Hornidge
Thomas Dermott
William Brett
William Long
Luke Standiſh
John Colborn
Thomas Smith
William Archer
Thomas Cruſe
Edward Goodwin
James M'Cann
James Madden
Timothy Mangan
Thomas Mangan
Robert Courey
Caleb Smalley
John Irwin
H. Hall
Anthony Conroy
Edward Nugent
S. Shepard
Oliver Barry
Rob. M'Cormick
Samuel Jones
John Murray
John Kenny
George Kelly
Richard Davis
John Smyth
Francis Martin
John Adams
G. Wilſon
Francis Lennon
John Hamilton
Iſaac Jenkins
Martin French
Patrick Mulloy
J. Thomas
Daniel Kanning
John Nugent
William Ennis
George Pearſon
William M'Daniell
John Philips
Patrick Sandys
Thomas Lawſon
George Jackſon
William Crawford
Peter Mahon
Thomas Bath
John Taylor
Walter Worthington
Nathaniel Reily
Walter Ternan
John Starling
Anthony Dempſy
William Archer
James Ferraly
George Swetman
Thomas Byrne
Felix Chapman
Samuel Kelly
Edward Ryan
Anthony Ryan
George Dillon
Aurther Connell
John Magawly
James Agnew
James Bourke
Francis Lyons
James Ledlie
George Anderſon
Thomas Bacon
William Sullivan
Patrick Harriſon
William Salter
Jeremiah Gilleſpy
Abraham Carty
Watt Reily
Peter Murphy
James Fitzpatrick
Walter Sinnot
James Ferrallee
Charles Weldon
Philip Bourk
Iſaac Banks
William Archer
Hugh Bardin
Jo. Clarke

Arthur Roche
Silveſter Looney
Thomas Gibſon
Zac. Braydon
George Lee
Andrew Toole
Philip Coates
Lau. Kevannagh
Matthew Callan
Hugh Blake
Robert Nixon
Andrew Murry
Thomas Griffin
Andrew Egan
W. Moore Thomas
Abraham Hipwill
John Talbott
Tho. Skittington
Thomas Browne
John Plant
William Truelock
Edward Foulkes
Iſaac Leech
Theobald Rudd
Sandys Reynolds
Thomas Nesbitt
Joſ. Blackwood
Arthur Beard
Morgan Crawford
Thomas Roche
Wm. Buckannon
James Brodſide
William Eagon
Thomas Price
Walter Dalton
Hamilton Neſbitt
Terence Owens
Owen Boylan
Edward Williams
William Pace
Iſaac Longfield
Ambroſe M'Clean
Edward Stoney
John St. John
Manifold Green
John Doran
Eben. Gore Manly
Edward Wolfe
John Thomas
E. Wilkinſon
Thomas Codd
Richard Browne
Andrew Martin
Walter Whyte
Edward Eife
Timothy Wife
John Davis
Thomas Hawthorn
Richard Malone
Thomas Brennan
Francis King
Cooke Cocking
Tho. Jackſon Jones
Iſaac Jones
John Jones
John Griffiths
Peter Lacey
Tobias Barnwall
Randle Inch
William Carroll
Thomas Rochford
Theodore Lindſay
John Jackſon
Singleton Pratt
Mathew Dalton
John Devering
Noy Dawſon
Will. Stearne Noy
William Kniveton
William Woods
Ed. M'Kinlay, *jun.*
Thomas Drout
Theobald Doyle
Matthew Butler
Edmund Butler
Barry Coote
Thomas Hore
John St. Claire
Will. Thornton, *jun.*
John Stone
William Shaw
Edward Clarke
Samuel Bollon
Francis Barber
John Odlum
Richard Marſh
Patrick Marſh
Thomas Jones
C. King
John M'Cabe

A. Jones
George Jameſon
William Martin
John Bellew
Richard Jones
Samuel Anderſon
Thomas Kelly
Edward White
Thomas Ward
John Allan
Henry Anderſon
Thomas Ball
George Barrett
Terence Callaghan
James Walſh
John Moore
Francis Morgan
Robert Dery
William Shepherd
George Fleming
James Boland
Gerald Fitzgerald
Francis Hutchins
James Slator
Edward Adcock
Patrick Byrne
Thomas Dunn
John Adams
George Simſon
Thomas Ridley
William Warren
James Creed
Robert Hayes
Thomas Ward
Jeremiah Lommo
Thomas Townſon
George Groves
Edward Kimberly
Francis Medcalfe
John Alcock
Joſeph Willſon
John Cox
William Gaſkell
Michael Brien
Robert Burnett
Tho. Aſhly Brien
John Gunſton
Thomas Byrn
Benjamin Keightly
John Hillary
John Fottrell
Richard Bullard
Laurence Higgins
Daniel Stephens
Joſeph Bollon
Patrick Conan
Edward Stephens
Charles Fox
Thomas Hoſe
Tho. Berningham
John Brett
Peter Hevein
John Pagno
James Madden
William Goadman
Chriſtopher Brigg
Joſeph Davis
Thomas Caſſedy
James Johnſton
James Bradburn
Thomas Ray
William Freeman
John Bradbourn
Alexander Smyth
Edward Butler
CharlesHumphreys
George Humphreys
William Harford
Walter Lawſon
Hugh Worthington
Henry Talbotſon
James Mitchel
John Gray
David Gray
William Sloaney
James Wilſon
Peter Byrn
Samuel Harper
Peter Gormanly
Matthew Rachford
Symon Labat
Iſack Braddle
Sandy Bourk
John Conſtable
James Hill
John Norris
John Mulliner
Thomas Pender
Robert Bean
Robert Turner

Rob.

Rob. Worthington
Andrew Snape
John Johnſton
George Davis
Samuel Jackſon
Arthur Moore
Thomas Jacob
Laurence Murphy
Thomas Forſter
James M'Donall
David Stormont
Robert Dunlop
George Grundy
Charles Foxall
James Johnſon
Thomas Bergin
John M'Ginnis
Thomas Norris
James Hobbs
Richard Myers
William Bothell
James Seilly
Charles Magee
James Coghlin
Thomas Dry
Thomas Heirs
Iſaac Davis
Tho. Conningham
John Quinn
Richard Keightly
George Hird
John White
Joſ. Worthington
James Adams
Henry Hewitt
M. T. Hewitt
Rimon Pourtavine
Lucas Parkinſon
Richard Cuthbert
Joſeph Mortimore
Ebenezer Goldie
John Miller
Bingham Burke
John Madden
Chriſto. Poynton
Robert Lovett
John Swift
Robert Owen
Henry Tiſdall
Michael Dalley
Samuel Kelly
William Quane
David Worthington
Thomas Healy

Richard Maſon
Samuel Ballie
James M'Caver
John Beatty
William Brown
John Bond
John Hayle Huband
Joſeph Mothee
Thomas Knox
Robert Carter
Richard Morgan
John Armſtrong
John Scott
John Dillon
William Bayly
Edward Haughton
Tho. Underwood
James Kelly
Hercules Clements
Fred. Worthington
John Clements
David M'Culloch
Edward Corker
Walter Bateman
Patrick Clark
John Adamſon
W. Wetherall, *jun.*
Robert Sherlock
A. Browne
Richard Owens
Theo. Jones
John Burton
James Shiel
John Moore
J. Baker
Theo. Medcalf
Thomas Evans
John Farrell
Wm. Hutchinſon
Richard Aſhley
Thomas Warren
F. Foſter
Joſeph Eagan
Barthol. Quigley
Patrick King
Richard Grace
John Watſon
James Smith
Richard Butler
Joſ. Harriſſon
John Butler
John Cox
John Dawſon
Thomas Bell

William Browne
George Hamilton
Robert Barry
Thomas Allen
John Carleton
Robert Fitz Gerald
Richard Jackſon
Nathaniel Pimley
David Servant
Thomas Jackſon
Matthew Meyler
Francis Eager
Francis Eager, *jun.*
William Sloan
Edward Stanley
Francis Hamilton
Joſeph White
Innis Delamain
John Moſſe
John Cauſfield
Thomas Connoly
Robert Browne
Thomas Lennon
George Nixon
Francis Collins
James White
John Edwards
Thomas Frazer
Rand. Byrn, *D. D.*
J. Flemmyng
Solo. Rounds, *Jun.*
Solo. Rounds, *jun.*
Benjamin Harvey
John Clarke
John Nixon
Robert Dillon
Thomas Wenmoth
Wm. Tomlinſon
John Clarke, *jun.*
Joſeph Richardſon
Joſeph Taaffe
Nicholas Dayne
John Pender
William Pender
Michael Connor
John Bradley
Thomas Jackſon
Tho. Meyler, *jun.*
Samuel Fullam
Benjamin Sharpe
Thomas Watſon
Peter Burneit
Michael Graham

By the KING,

A PROCLAMATION,

For Encouraging Seamen to enter themſelves on Board His Majeſty's Ships of War.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS it is Our Royal Intention to give all due Encouragement to all ſuch Seamen who ſhall voluntarily enter themſelves in Our Service; We have thought fit, by and with the Advice of Our Privy Council, to publiſh this Our Royal Proclamation: And We do hereby promiſe and declare, That all ſuch Able Seamen, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, fit for Our Service, who ſhall, on or before the Twenty-ninth Day of February next, voluntarily enter themſelves to ſerve in Our Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of Our Ships, or the Chief Officers on Board ſuch Tenders as ſhall be employed for raiſing Men for the Service of Our Navy, ſhall receive, as Our Royal Bounty, the Sum of Forty Shillings each Man; and all ſuch Ordinary Seamen, fit for Our Service, who ſhall ſo enter themſelves as aforeſaid, ſhall receive the Sum of Twenty Shillings each Man, as Our Royal Bounty; ſuch reſpective Sums to be paid them by the reſpective Clerks of the Cheque, reſiding at the Ports or Places where the Ships into which they ſhall be entered ſhall be, immediately after the Third Muſter of ſuch Seamen: And We do declare, That the Qualifications of the Seamen ſo entering themſelves, as aforeſaid, ſhall be certified by the Captain, Maſter, and Boatſwain of the Ship or Veſſel where they ſhall enter. And, for Prevention of any Abuſes, by any Perſons leaving the Veſſels to which they ſhall belong, and entering themſelves on Board any other Ships or Veſſels, in order to obtain the ſaid Bounty Money; We do hereby declare and command, That ſuch Seamen, belonging to any of Our Ships or Veſſels, as ſhall abſent themſelves from any of the ſaid Ships or Veſſels to which they ſhall belong, and ſhall enter themſelves on Board any other of Our ſaid Ships or Veſſels, in order to obtain the ſaid Bounty, ſhall not only loſe the Wages due to them in the Ships or Veſſels they ſhall leave, but alſo be ſeverely puniſhed according to their Demerits.

Given at our Court at St. *James*'s, the Third Day of *January*, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſeventy-ſix, in the Sixteenth Year of Our Reign.

GOD ſave the KING.

St. James's, January 6, 1776.

IT is His Majeſty's Pleaſure, That all Officers belonging to His Majeſty's 3d, 9th, 11th, 20th, 24th, 34th, 53d, and 62d Regiments of Foot, now ſerving in Ireland, do immediately repair to their Corps in that Kingdom, except ſuch as may be ordered on the Recruiting Service, or other Duty.

WEYMOUTH.

War Office, January 9, 1776.

IT is His Majeſty's Pleaſure, That all Officers belonging to the 20th Regiment of Foot do immediately join the ſaid Corps, except ſuch as may be ordered on the Recruiting Service, or other Duty.

BARRINGTON.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 9, 1776.

SUCH Ladies as deſire to dance Minuets at the Ball, which is to be at St. James's on Thurſday the 18th Inſtant, are requeſted to ſend their Names and Rank, in Writing, to this Office, on or before Tueſday next the 16th Inſtant, and to ſend for their Tickets the next Day (Wedneſday) between the Hours of Ten in the Morning and Two in the Afternoon.

N. B. No Attendance will be given at this Office on the Day of Ball, after Two o'Clock in the Afternoon.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 9, 1776.

TO prevent the Inconveniences which have ariſen from the Space before their Majeſties, which is allotted for Minuet Dancing, being exceedingly crowded, it is requeſted that thoſe Ladies only, who mean to Dance, will ſend for Dancers Tickets, and ſit in thoſe Places, as the Seats have been found too few to accommodate the Dancers.

Moſcow, December 7, N. S. On Tueſday laſt, being St. Catherine's Day, there was a Court in the Morning, and a very brilliant Ball in the Evening.

The ſame Day Count Potemkin was appointed Governor-General of Aſtracan.

This Day, being the Feſtival of St. George, the Knights of the Order had, as uſual, the Honour of dining with her Imperial Majeſty. Several new Knights were created, and a conſiderable Number promoted; amongſt the latter was Count Potemkin to the Second Claſs of the Order.

The Departure of her Imperial Majeſty from hence is fixed for the 15th of December, O. S. and that of the Great Duke and Dutcheſs for the 7th.

Admiralty-Office, January 6, 1776.

PURSUANT to an Act of Parliament paſſed in the Twenty-ſixth Year of His late Majeſty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information has been ſent to this Office, That on the Firſt Inſtant the Ship Providence, of Newcaſtle, of the Burthen of Two Hundred Tons, whereof George Heath was Maſter, bound from Newcaſtle to London, laden with Coals, having, in a Gale of Wind, ſtruck on The Cutler, a Sand near Woodbridge Haven in the County of Suffolk, ſhe immediately went to Pieces, but the Crew ſaved themſelves by their Boats.

Geo. Jackſon, D. S.

Iriſh Annuities, with Benefit of Survivorſhip.

THE Subſcribers to the Life Annuities eſtabliſhed in Ireland, who are to be paid in London, may receive Half a Year's Annuity, due on the 25th of December laſt, at Meſſ. Brooks and Collinſon, Bankers, in Lombard-ſtreet, on the following Days, from Nine in the Forenoon till Two in the Afternoon: The Firſt Claſs on the 15th and 16th of January; the Second Claſs on the 17th, 18th, 19th, and 20th of Ditto; the Third Claſs on the 22d, 23d, 24th, 25th, 26th, and 27th of Ditto: Thoſe of each Claſs remaining unpaid, will be paid every Wedneſday following.

The Debentures to be produced, and a Certificate of the Life of the Nominee.